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MAINE ETHICS COMMISSION

REGISTRATION: BALLOT QUESTION COMMITTEES

(FOR PERSONS AND ORGANIZATIONS OTHER THAN PACS INVOLVED IN BALLOT QUESTION ELECTIONS)

Any person not defined as a political action committee who solicits and receives contributions or makes expenditures, other than by contribution to a political action committee, aggregating in excess of \$5,000 for the purpose of initiating, promoting, defeating or influencing in any way a ballot question shall register with the Commission as a ballot question committee within 7 days of receiving contributions or making expenditures that exceed \$5000. (21-A M.R.S.A. §1056-B)

Is this an amendment? ☐ Yes ☒ No

ALL SECTIONS OF THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED.

COMMITTEE INFORMATION	
Filing notices and correspondence will be mailed to this address.	
Committee name <i>Equality Maine</i>	Acronym <i>EQME</i>
Mailing address <i>PO Box 1951</i>	Phone
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E-mail <i>bsmith@equalitymaine.org</i>	Website <i>www.equalitymaine.org</i>
TREASURER OF THE COMMITTEE	
Name <i>Betsy Smith</i>	Phone <i>207-761-3732</i>
Mailing address <i>same as above</i>	
City, zip code	E-mail <i>same as above</i>
OTHER PRINCIPAL OFFICERS (IF ANY)	
Name <i>Matthew Dubois</i>	Title <i>President</i>
Mailing address <i>8 Powder Horn Drive</i>	Phone <i>761-7796</i>
City, zip code <i>Scarborough, 04074</i>	E-mail <i>mdubois@maine-elderlaw.com</i>
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ALTERNATE E-MAIL ADDRESSES

To receive important information from the Commission

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PRIMARY FUNDRAISERS AND DECISION MAKERS

Identify all individuals who are the committee's primary fundraisers and decision makers regarding ballot question activity.

1. Betsy Smith	2. Matthew Dubois
3. Darlene Huntress	4. Matthew Morryen
5. Brian Sandberg	6.

FORM OF ORGANIZATION

Name the form or structure of organization, i.e., cooperative, corporation, voluntary association, partnership, etc.


Form of organization Corporation - S corp	Date of origin/incorporation 1984
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STATEMENT OF SUPPORT OR OPPOSITION

Indicate the ballot questions that the committee supports or opposes. Include the ballot question number (if known) and the ballot question title.

SUPPORT	
OPPOSE	Petition to remove sexual orientation from Maine Human Rights Act, eliminate funding for civil rights team, prohibit adoption by unmarried couples & allow civil unions.

SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE'S TREASURER, PRINCIPAL OFFICER OR OTHER AUTHORIZED INDIVIDUAL

Signature 	Title Executive Treasurer
Print name Betsy Smith	Date 6/10/08